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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
MIYAKO OHKUBO, ET AL. : EXAMINER: REVAK, C. A.  
SERIAL NO: 10/537,915 :  
FILED: JUNE 8, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2431  
FOR: TAG PRIVACY PROTECTING :  
METHOD, TAG DEVICE, BACKEND  
DEVICE, UPDATING DEVICE, UPDATE  
REQUESTING DEVICE, PROGRAMS  
FOR THESE DEVICES, AND  
RECORDING MEDIUM STORING THESE  
PROGRAMS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 3, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 54 of this paper.